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- Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by Γ1 a verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed. []
- No additional fee is required. [X]

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 and § 1.98, Applicant brings the disclosures listed on completed Form PTO-1449 to the Examiner's attention and requests that they be considered in this application.

Prompt examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

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